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Educational Resources of the County and Their Organization and Correlation for Educational Endeavor.

There is an atmosphere of public opinion that causes a school system to blossom and be fruitful...

A school may have good supervision, good teachers, and many of the requirements of good schools...

The school itself may influence public opinion, and, indeed, the school is largely responsible for the atmosphere of public opinion...

One of the very strongest factors in maintaining good schools is a broad educational policy and sentiment in a vicinity...

The principal factors that contribute to education in the community are "the church, the home, the school, the public library, the newspaper, the art museum where there is one, and the civil state with its laws protecting life and property..."

Each of these forces has its own peculiar task. The school cannot succeed without the working of nearly all these together harmoniously...

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In Congress their power is felt so strongly that in the past decade it has been impossible to pass laws for the relief of the consumer. It is due to the fine manipulating hand of one of their henchmen that the officers of the Standard Oil are not now under jail sentence instead being fined, for the Elkins law under which they were convicted does not provide penalty other than a fine.

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The object of the entitled cause is to recover of and from the said defendant a debt for the sum of \$271.50 that is due the plaintiff for the defendant for goods sold and delivered to the said defendant, and for the collection of which debt the plaintiff has caused an attachment to issue and has levied upon a certain tract of 1003 acres of land in Pocahontas county West Virginia, and also upon certain stocks etc., supposed to be owned by the said Taylor and the plaintiff will ask for payment of the said sum of money and in default, that said lands and stocks be sold to pay the same.

This day came the plaintiff by its attorney, and on their motion, and it appearing by affidavit filed, that the defendant, W. S. Taylor, is a non-resident of this State, it is ordered that he do appear within one month after the date of the first publication thereof, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

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creating a healthy atmosphere of public opinion in the school superintendent. A very great deal depends upon him.

"President Elliot, at the close of twenty five years as president of Harvard University, when asked what had been his leading aim, replied, 'To secure cooperation'."

L. W. B. Obituary Mrs. Maggie E. Hamrick was born near Greenbank, W. Va., March 31st, 1869, and died at her home near Millpoint, W. Va., July 25th, 1907.

She was united in marriage to Mr. Austin Hamrick Jan. 29th, 1891. This was indeed a happy marriage. The husband's tenderness and devotion to his invalid wife was both touching and beautiful.

Two lovely children blessed their home. One preceded its mother to the home beyond, the other, a bright little girl, is left behind.

Sister Hamrick was one of the most unselfish, patient, and devoted Christians I have ever known and that she is at rest today from her labors and from her intense sufferings, no one who knew her doubts, when nearing the end of her brief life she called her heart broken husband, her affectionate mother, and her dear little Gladys to her bed side and with a radiant face requested them never to weep for her.

She quoted many of the precious promises of God's word. Among many others, "Let not your hearts be troubled" and "In my father's house are many mansions" and finally said, "Joens is with me and I am so happy."

Her funeral services were conducted by her pastor assisted by Rev. J. C. Johnson, pastor of the Presbyterian church in the presence of one of the largest crowds ever assembled at Marvin Chapel. We shall miss her, but we fondly hope to meet her again in health and beauty in that land of cloudless day.

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FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

A. S. McNeel, Sheriff, in Account With THE COUNTY COURT OF POCAHONTAS COUNTY.

2006 County Purpose - Debits. To balance due county as shown by settlement made June, 1906 \$12,553 85

To levy on real estate for 1906 1,451 87 To taxes from Beverly & Marlinton Telephone Co. 1 70

To taxes from Pocahontas Telephone Co. 57 To taxes from Roney & Elkins Telephone Co. 4 01

To taxes from Western Union Telegraph Co. 43 To taxes from Coal & Iron Railway Co. 315 58

To taxes from Pocahontas Railroad Co. 18 19 To taxes from Marlinton & Camden Railroad Co. 65 56

To taxes from Greenbrier Railway Co. 734 03 To taxes from Cranberry Railway Co. 24 61

To taxes from West Virginia Spruce Lumber Co. 98 48 To taxes from Adams Express Co. 2 87

To amount received from H. S. Rucker on rent 72 82 To amount received from redemption of land 83 99

To amount received from sales to inventory 17 11 To amount received from July fees collected 72 00

To amount from walnut lumber off of Poor Farm 129 80 Total amount of debits \$19,636 77

CREDITS. By amount of county orders returned \$12,400 17 By amount of July orders returned 1,753 00

By exonerations as follows: J. C. Harper 1 05 E. M. Arbogast 2 00

M. W. and Martha A. McNeill Limestone Lumber Co. 4 00 J. C. Lewis and M. W. Warwick 85 Darley N. Taylor 95

St. Lawrence Boom & Manufacturing Co. 67 04 By amount delinquent returned 372 54

By amount lands improperly charged 70 By 2 1/2% discount on taxes collected before December 1, 1906 99 73

Bugs.

ARIS GREEN for Potato Bugs ERSIAN INSECT POWDER for Fleas OISON FLY PAPER for Flies POW'D HELLEBORE for Rose Bugs ELECTRIC INSECT DESTROYER for Bed Bugs

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JUST RECEIVED

A full line of woollen dress goods and silks in plain and fancy colors. Golden brown and garnet are the predominant shades for fall wear.

WATCHOUR WINDOWS NEXT WEEK!

THE POCAHONTAS BARGAIN HOUSE.

THE UNDERSELLING STORE

S. L. Brown, clerk county court 300 00 J. H. Patterson, clerk Circuit court 400 00

J. L. Buzard, assessor Pocahontas county 600 00 Total \$2,216 00

MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES. C. A. Fletcher, election clerk 1 50

H. A. Hadden, guarding smallpox school 75 50 A. J. Campbell, nursing diphtheria patient 13 50

Pocahontas Supply Co. supplies 113 13 J. L. Brown, copying lists of voters 63 00

S. L. Brown, examining land and personal property books 30 00 W. R. Burton, school book board 2 60

S. B. Hester, school book board 2 00 T. M. Kelra, commissioner of election, 1905 3 00

J. Ed Taylor, clerk of election, 1905 1 50 R. W. Hill, commissioner of election, 1904 1 50

A. C. Scherr, expenses for deaf mutes 10 50 E. F. Hamilton, supplies for County school 9 45

T. A. Bruffey, school book board 2 00 J. B. Grimes, school book board 2 00

I. B. Moore, commissioner of election, 1905 5 50 G. S. Welford, election expenses, 1903 1 50

E. J. Boreman, ballot boxes 8 00 J. H. Buzard, personal property assessment, etc., Geo. W. McKeever vs. Geo. W. McKeever 150 00

J. G. Tifton, stenographer, in case of County vs. McKeever John Curry, assignee, hauling to jail 2 50

Moore & Johnson, repairs to jail 25 00 Pocahontas Pub. Co., printing J. H. Buzard, reporting agricultural statistics 50 00

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Commissioners Office Marlinton, W. Va. July 31, 1907.

G. W. Allen vs. R. Q. Young

Pursuant to a decree of the circuit court of Pocahontas county, West Virginia, entered in the above styled cause on the 8th day of June, 1907, the undersigned commissioner will proceed at his office in the town of Marlinton, West Virginia, on the 26th day of August, 1907, to take, state and report the following matters of account, to-wit:

1st. A statement of all the liens against said defendant R. Q. Young, with their respective legal dignities and priorities.

2nd. A statement of all the real estate owned by the said R. Q. Young, on which said judgments are liens.

3rd. Whether or not said real estate will in five years rent for a sum sufficient to pay the liens thereon.

4th. Any other matter deemed pertinent by the commissioner or required by any party in interest. At which time and place all parties may attend.

T. S. McNEEL, Commissioner.

Sale of Valuable Personal Property. On Saturday, the 17th day of August, 1907, at 1 o'clock, p. m. at the front door of the Court House, Marlinton, W. Va., the County Court of Pocahontas county will sell by way of public auction, to the highest bidder the following valuable property:

One 1 1/2 power gasoline engine. One Aermotor windmill, sixty five foot tower, ten foot wheel. One three thousand gallon galvanized iron water tank in splendid condition.

One sixty thousand gallon galvanized iron water tank almost new. All the above described property is in first class condition; the reason for selling the same is because the city water has been placed in the court house and jail. Terms made known on day of sale.

By JOHN LUCAS, Pres. County Court, married, on Saturday August 3rd, at 10 a. m. at the Methodist Parsonage by Rev. Jno. A. Gere Shipley, Kemp D. Swicker and Mrs. Margie Byrd Campbell, both of Donmore, this county.

married at the Valley Hotel, Monday August 5th, by Rev. J. A. Shipley, Anthony D. Kershner and Miss Myrtle Clifton Gladwell, his attorneys, and on their motion,

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